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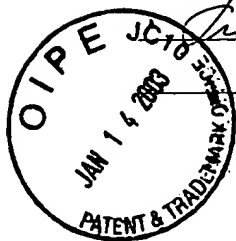
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PATENT  
Case No. 7780/17  
(T00343)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

WEIJING CHEN, RIAS MUHAMED

Serial No.: 09/932,842

Filed: AUGUST 17, 2001

Title: PUBLIC WIRELESS LOCAL  
AREA NETWORK

Examiner:

Group Art Unit: 2642

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97-1.98, Applicants would like to call the Examiner's attention to the references listed on the enclosed sheet of Form PTO-1449. Copies of these references are also enclosed.

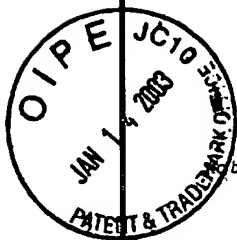
Applicants believe that none of the listed references, alone or in combination, disclose or suggest Applicants' claimed invention.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: January 7, 2003

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## ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

- ☐ Amendment/Response to Restriction/Election Req.  
☐ After Final  
☐ Affidavits/declaration(s)  
☐ Status Letter  
☐ Extension of Time Request (duplic)  
☐ Express Abandonment Request  
☒ Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 with two References  
☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
☐ Response to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application

- ☐ Assignment Papers (for an Application)  
☐ Drawings:  
☐ After Allowance Communication to Group  
☐ Petition Routing Slip (PTO/SB/69) and Accompanying Petition  
☐ To Convert a Provisional Application  
☐ Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address  
☐ Terminal Disclaimer  
☐ Small Entity Statement  
☐ Request of Refund

- ☐ Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences  
☐ Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)  
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Small Entity		or	Large Entity	
Rate	Add'l Fee		Rate	Add'l Fee
x \$9=	0		x \$18=	
x \$40=	0		x \$80=	
+ \$135=	—		+ \$270=	
total add'l fee \$ 0			total add'l fee \$ 0	

## SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

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Signature	<i>Frank C. Nicholas</i> FRANK C. NICHOLAS 33,983	Date:	JANUARY 7, 2003
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